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Attention: Rick Breitenbach

I am writing as a member of several organizations in the Environmental Water Caucus. I believe that better solutions to the State's water needs are available than the CALFED Phase 2 alternatives. I urge you to implement:

- Increased reliance on groundwater storage instead of raising or building new dams
- Increased water for fisheries and river ecosystems
- Increased water conservation for agriculture and municipalities
- Improvements to water quality in the Bay-Delta waters

Sincerely,

Bruce Dassel